

RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT and PROVISIONAL ELECTION OF SPECIES

The Examiner has required and election of species is required under 35 U.S.C. §121. The Examiner indicates that Applicants are required to identify a single disclosed species for prosecution on the merits. The Examiner requires election based on the following groups:

Group I, Claims 1-18, 27-33, and 85

Group II, Claims 19-26, 59-66 and 82

Group III, Claims 34-40, 74-80, and 84

Group IV, Claims 41-58, 67-73, 81, and 83

Group V, Claims 87-94.

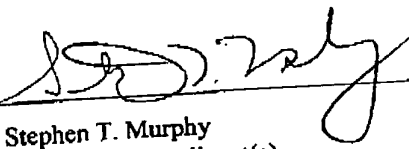
Applicants elect embodiments of the storage wrap material which are represented by Group IV, specifically Claims 41- 58 and 81 therein. Claims 1 and 87 have been amended to depend from Claim 41, therefore Applicants submit that these amended Claims are properly included in the present election.

After entry of the above amendments, Claims 1-18, 41-58, 66, 81, 87-88, and 95-111 will be pending in the above-identified application and are before the Examiner.

Respectfully submitted,

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Amended Claims**Version with Markings to Show Changes Made**

1. A storage wrap material according to Claim 81 wherein the comprising: ~~a sheet of non-porous material having a first side and a second side, said first side comprising an active side exhibiting an adhesion peel force after activation by a user that is greater than an adhesion peel force exhibited prior to activation by a user and that is sufficient to form a continuous seal against a target surface, wherein said sheet of material is linerless, such that activation of said active side requires no removal of components of said sheet of material, said sheet of material being sufficiently flexible to conform readily to a desired surface and having sufficiently small resiliency that it does not exert undue restorative forces that would tend to cause said sheet of material to break contact with such a desired surface.~~

81. A storage wrap material according to Claim 41 wherein the comprising: ~~a sheet of non-porous material having a first side and a second side, said first side comprising an active side exhibiting an adhesion peel force after activation by a user that is greater than an adhesion peel force exhibited prior to activation by a user and that is sufficient to form a seal against a target surface, wherein said sheet of material is linerless, such that activation of said active side requires no removal of components of said sheet of material, said sheet of material being sufficiently flexible to conform readily to a desired surface and having sufficiently small resiliency that it does not exert undue restorative forces that would tend to cause said sheet of material to break contact with such a desired surface.~~

87. A storage wrap material according to Claim 81 wherein the comprising:
(a) ~~a sheet of non-porous material having a first side and a second side, said first side comprising an active side exhibiting an adhesion peel force after activation by a user which is greater than an adhesion peel force exhibited prior to activation by a user and which is sufficient to form a seal against a target surface, and where said sheet of material is linerless, such that the activation of said active side requires no removal of components of said sheet of material, said sheet of material is being sufficiently flexible to conform readily to any desired surface and has having sufficiently small resiliency that it does not exert undue restorative forces which would tend to cause the seal to fail.~~